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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the
above-identified patent application. Applicant respectfully requests a two-month
extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated September 12, 2002,
for which a response period expiring on December 12, 2002 was set. The extended
period expires on February 12, 2003.

Please charge the \$410.00 extension fee and any additional fees
required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal is
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SIR:

This Amendment addresses the Office Action mailed September 12, 2002, and
it is respectfully submitted that this Amendment places the above-identified application in
condition for allowance.

In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 1 as shown below.

1. (Amended) A method for determining a basic value of at least one measured quantity of a
brake system, the at least one measured quantity being a basis for controlling the brake
system, the method comprising:

assuming a measured value of the at least one measured quantity available on
activation of the brake system as the basic value; and

forming a measured signal for adjusting a brake pressure for controlling the brake
system as a function of the at least one measured quantity and the basic value.

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